AS WIFE DISROBES HUSBAND LOSES MIND IN CHURCH

Yonkers Couple, Who Lost Fortune in Germany Through War, Strangely Afflicted.

BOTH UNDER RESTRAINT.

Woman Started to Undress at Religious Service, Crying to Minister to Stop the War.

Willy G. Holldorff, until recently the chief chemist of the Spreckels Sugar Refinery at Yonkers, and his wife are under restraint in that city to-day, following their emotional outburst against the European war in St. John's Evangelical Church yesterday. The hysteria of the pair, ending with a partial disrobing of the wife and her effort to take the minister's place in the pulpit were the climax of mental troubles of the pair which have been developing for six months and which were caused, apparently, by money losses due to the war suffered by Mrs. Holldorff.

She received a large legacy just before the war and went to Germany to take it over. The money was invested in German funds. Last spring she learned that the legacy had been wiped out because of the war. She brooded and became unsettled in her mind, talking constantly, refusing to eleep herself or to let her husband

Holldorff became possessed of a delusion that Claus Spreckels of San Francisco was seeking to do him evil by wireless. There are amate"r wirethe Holldorff home at No. 12 Morris Avenue. He made many complaints against them and threats against Louis Spreckeis, the head of the Yonkers plant. On the complaint of Spreckels, Holldorff was sent to the Poughkeepsie State Hospital for the

Insane in June.
On the promise of fellow members of the congregation that he would be kept in restraint he was soon released and allowed to return to his wife, whose affliction was not generally

known. Half an hour before yesterday's ser-Haif an hour before yesterday's service, while Sunday School was in session, the couple entered the church, kneit together, and, both sobting convulsively, prayed through the opening of the church service. As the pastor approached the pulpit for the sermen, Mrs. Holidorff rose, hurled her hat away, tore off her waist and much of her upper underclothing and started for the pulpit, crying that God had told her to forbid all war. Her husband threw an overcoat over her shoulders, but submitted quietly when

police station Holldorff, with tears disobedient, disrespectful, and precociously acquainted with W. S. Coons, who had been summoned petty vices? from the hospital, if he might not be permitted to take his wife home and end her life and his own with a re-

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} ARE FOREIGN-BORN MOTHERS BETTER THAN AMERICAN MOTHERS?

New York's Health Registrar Says the American Mother Is a Failure Because, as Girl and Woman, She Unfits Herself for Maternity, Doesn't Want Offspring, Doesn't Take Proper Care of Her Babies When They Come, and Doesn't Wisely Control the Growing Children.



controversy, and by making suitable replies much light can be thrown on a vital and momentous subject.

By Marguerite Mooers Marshall.

Has the American mother failed?

Yes, if we are to believe figures compiled by the New York City Health Department and the conclusions of Dr. William H. Guilfoy, Health Registrar. In New York the child of foreign-born parents

has a better chance of living beyond infancy than tho child of native Americans. According to Dr. Guilfoy American women do not make as good mothers as foreign-born women. He finds that the American mother is a failure (1) because as girl and woman she leads a life which physically unfits her for maternity; (2) because she does not want offspring; (3) because she does not give personal care to her bables; (4) because she does not control wisely her growing children. I shall be glad to publish letters from Evening

World readers answering any or all of the four counts of that indictment. Do you think the American mother is a failure?

SOME PERTINENT QUERIES FOR

shoulders, but submitted quietly when ushers, who had been instructed to watch the pair, led him away. Mrs.

> These questions are too important to be settled by an isolated group of statistics or by man's convictions. That is why I wish to hear from many of you about the American mother. deed, I hope she will write her-self and tell us whether, in her own opinion, she has succeeded or failed. And let us hear from her children, the young men and women of to-day. Do they believe that the American mother has

made good? The city Health Department has just announced the statistics of infant mortality for 1914. Thirty children of every 1,000 born to American mothers die. For English mothers the death rate is only 26 per 1,000; for German and Austro-Hungarian mothers, 22 per 1,000; for Russian

and Polish mothers, 20 per 1,000. "That is a startling indictment of American motherhood," I told Dr. Guilfoy, Registrar for the Department of Health.

"According to those figures, which clean. While getting in its work it we must accept, American women do may be retained on the head and re- not make as good mothers as foreign born women," he replied.

In conjunction with Poslam, and always, Poslam Soap is recommended for hair and scalp. Of all the soaps you have ever used for shampooing you will probably derive greater satisfactors. When the first place, he detailed, the American girl and woman—in New York, at any rate—leads a life ropean peasant woman who comes to New York has grown up with plenty of sunlight, fresh air, wholesome work and, on the whole, good, simple food. She also wears comfortable clothing. Our girls, on the contrary, are allowed to eat rich, indigestible food at irregular intervals, to wear lothes which injure their physical

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development, to keep late hours and to indulge in exciting pleasures out-side the home.

"Girls are taking more interest in athletics than formerly, and that is a good thing. Yet their lives, in the main, are not normal and their minds and bodies are affected. for amusement outside the home going to make the home suffer. ALARMING DETERIORATION OF

THE AMERICAN FAMILY.

"We know that a hundred years age American women nearly all had big families. To-day the small family is the rule, and the birth rate among the native-born is anything but what it should be. There may be deterioration in the native steck, but there certainly is a marked disinclination to have shildren on the part of many children on the part of many modern American women. They deliberately avoid maternity."

married woman. tween Dec. 1, 1914, and Nov. 4, 1916.
"There is no reason why we in Chicago in that interval 227 pershouldn't have both quality and quantity," retorted Dr. Guilfoy. "To the argument that it is better to bring and in New York 301 were killed. wo children to maturity than to bear six and allow five to die, I should say that with reasonable care and with modern methods of treatment for dis-

modern methods of treatment for discase at least five out of the six children ought to-live to grow up.
"I don't think that a mother should limit her family because she fears that she cannot give several children victions resulted in Chicago for all an advantageous start in life. Think the deaths. He said twenty-six per-of the disadvantages overcome by sons were held responsible in Man-land and Garfield! And to-day battan alone.

"Every wife who can do so should have several children. It is a duty which she owes to the state and to herself. To refuse maternity because she prefers to do other things is simple selfishness. And she is usually punished for her sin. The childless couple is most frequently found in the divorce court. Even if that is escaped, a home without children is no real home, particularly when the father and mother begin to get on in years."

"And do you consider that the

get on in years."

"And do you consider that the American mother neglects her babies when they do arrive?" I asked.

"Very frequently she does not nurse her baby," replied the doctor, "and statistics show that the deathrate among bottle-fed babies is much higher than among those who eat as Nature intended them to do. There is the added danger of contagion in cow's milk, and the babies who are not nursed lack the power of resisting disease in their later as well as in their earlier life.

BANEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE

BANEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE AFTERNOON HOTEL DANCE. He and Other Hamburg-American

The American mother thinks she knows it all and is little inclined to take advice from doctors or Health Departments. Yet she frequently refuses to give her baby the personal care which it needs. She is likely to leave it in charge of others while she hurries off to a dance. In a hotel the other afternoon, at half past 5, I saw a large group of women dancing. Some were young, but many were of matronly age and appearance. Now if that sort of thing is going on every afternoon in every hotel all over the city, it seems pretty clear that some homes are being neglected.

"The devotion of American mothers to pleasure must have a harmful influence over their growing children, particularly when these have reached the period of adolescence. No won-"The American mother thinks she Officers to Face Court Wednesday.

SEVERER PUNISHMENT FOR AUTOMOBILISTS **BREAKING SPEED LAW**

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THAT CHILD'S

Magistrate Koenig in Harlem Court Sends Several to Jail Who Lack Higher Fines.

der we see so many disobedient, impertinent children, so many flaunting, precocious school girls in this city. If their mothers were of the right sort, would these young people exhibit so many follies?"

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folies?"
Would they? "By their fruits ye shall know them." Is the American mother's failure illustrated by the cheeky child, the painted school girl, the cigarette-smoking school*boy? I leave the question in the hands of Evening World readers. Let me hear from you gan in the Harlem Police Court this morning the Harlem prison will soon have an exclusive club of automobile drivers that may rival the famous drivers that may rival the famous Alimony Club of Ludlow Street Jail.

Six charter members were provided for the new organization to-day by Magistrate Koenig when he sent to jail half a dozen speeders who DEATH TRAPS THAN OURS couldn't or wouldn't pay their fines.

The unusual percentage of jail sen-tences executed was due largely to GERMANY EQUIPS Reckless Autoists Kill More Chil- the fact that Magistrate Koenig has raised the ante in the previously prevalling system of fines for speeders. The rate heretofore has been a fine of \$25 or two days in jail for a first of-"Chicago is more dangerous than fense. Declaring he was going to put New York," was the declaration to-day of Col. Edward S. Cornell of the trate Koenig to-day raised the fines National Highways Protective Soto \$35 or \$40 in most cases, with three

miles an hour, was fined \$35, or three already in the field. days in Jall; Adolph Ahlgrin of No. Either they, or others whom they 923 Eagle Avenue, the Bronx, a have relieved, are being concentrated thirty-mile speeder, got off lightly, on the Bulgarian Black Sea coast to thirty-mile speeder, got off lightly, with \$30, or two days in jail; Israel Schwartz of No. 78 East One Hundred and Fifth Street, went twenty-five miles an hour amid heavy traffic and his sentence was \$40, or five days in jail; Thomas Thompson of No. 33 Grove Street, a twenty-five-mile speeder, drew \$30, or three days; Vincenzo Mastrovard of No. 222 East Twenty-ninth Street, admitted twenty-five miles an hour and was fined \$30, or three days; Arthur Sarrless of No. 859 Intervale Avenue, went thirty miles an hour and was fined \$30, or three days; Arthur Sarrless of No. 859 Intervale Avenue, went thirty miles an hour and was fined \$30, or three days; Arthur Sarrless of No. 850 Intervale Avenue, went thirty miles an hour and was fined \$30, or three days in jail.

All of these took the jail sentences and seven other speeding auto drivers and fines of similar proportions. Man Charged With Taking Money

Merchant Commits Suicide.

lest and second degree against Emanuel M., Hein of No. 46 West Eighty-seventh LAKEWOOD, N. J., Nov. 15 .- In a Street were dismissed by order of Judge boarding house on Lexington Avenue, morning, Louis Abramowitz, a Hein was indicted last January on a this Hein was indicted last January on a charge that involved the alleged payment of money for services in trying to obtain a pardon for Frank C. Marrin, a Brooklyn lawyer, who was serving a sentence of fifteen years in Sing Sing.

Hein, according to the indictments, told Marrin's wife and son in December, and it all.

AND WAS ACCUSED OF **CRUELTY TO ANIMALS**

Delair's Act Stopped by Society, So He Wants \$2,000 From Hammerstein's Estate.

Is a man who swallows live frogs

and goldfish guilty of cruelty to antmals, or has he the right to put into his stomach anything he pleases? That is the question which a jury empanelled to-day in Justice Greenbaum's part of the Supreme Court must determine before they can award Gustav F. Delair, the "human tank," the \$2,000 in damages he asks from the estate of the late William Hammerstein, who for two years was

manager of the Victoria Theatre. Delair told the jury that he was present his act, which consisted of swallowing and emitting anything hat the audience asked for, but after tew days' engagement he was told An agent of the Society for the

the Society for the and fish were not animals, the society had a right to act.

Maxim P. Lowe, who represented Delair, told the jury that the "human tank" could make an aquarium out of his stomach, and also could drink twenty-five glasses of water and a small barrel of beer while the live tock were inside of him.

"Monsieur Delair would go among the audience and ask them what they wanted." said the attorney. "If milk was wished he would emit a bottle of milk or beer or anything else the specators desired. And if they wanted a ourple of frogs in between the liquids could accommodate them with alost anything-horses, elephants and oabboons excepted."

"How did he do all this?" Inquired Justice Greenbaum.

"Of course, Delair would have to swallow them first," replied the wit-ness. "He'd give the frogs and fish a chance to inspect their new surround-ings and tien the show would be-

gin."
Thomas F. Freel, superintendent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, testified that when he called on the human tank Delair explained that he always swallowed a quantity of sweetened water before filling his stomach with the zoological collection and that they seemed to like

TURKISH TROOPS

Succeeds in Getting Arms to Mer Hitherto Unavailable as Fighting Men.

BERLIN (via London), Nov. 15.-I suggested several reasons for this state of affairs, such as the quality vs. quantity argument, the economic situation in many families, and the entirely candid belief that babies are not the only nor even the most desirable form of seif-expression for a married woman.

Since the organization's offices, No. 1 West Thirty-fourth Street, in using of two.

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day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass

of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feel-

very little, but is sufficient to make any one an enthusiast on the subject. Remember, inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, be-cause the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing peor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleaness, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water

and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

You Drink Water

LONDON, Nov. 15 .- The Cunard

Metropolitan Railway Receiver Need Asquith Explains Mystery of Maure-Not Hold Sum Pending Oppenheim's Damage Action.

Benjamin Oppeenheim, lawyer, who for twelve years was deprived of liners Mauretania and Aquitania are earning his livelihood as an attarney, officially listed as British hospital through the activities of Attorneys ships. and agents of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, met with another by the Government in the House rebuff this morning at the hands of of Commons this afternoon in rethe United States Circuit Court of sponse to queries concerning the Appeals, which denied his petition to whereabouts of the two vessels. compel the receiver of the Metropol- asmuch as they have been among the itan to retain \$300,000, pending his suit best known of transatiantic liners, for damages in the State courts. The Court was not unanimous in

the United States District Court, for that they had been destroyed by the Judge Coxe dissented in strong language. Oppenheim was the lawyer for a child who was run over and her leg cut off by a car of the Market Street Railway Company, in 1909. He obtained judgment against the company for \$5,000 which was affirmed nired to appear at the Victoria and by the Appellate Division. The case was carried to the Court of Appeals and while pending there, in 1961, the the attorneys of the company brought charges of bribery and subornation of perjury against the young lawyer. He was disbarred and lost his case.

In 1910, evidence was accidentally unearthed which showed that Or. An agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals saw Delair do his stunt and decided that he was guilty of cruelty to animals. Hammerstein cancelled the act after his lawyers told him that, while frogs and fish were not animals, the society courts and subsequently brought autifor \$300,000 damages.

VERONA'S WOMEN KILLED BY AUSTRIAN AIR RAID

Travellers Assert That Only One Soldier Dead as Result of Falling Bombs.

MILAN, Nov. 15.—Travellers arriving from Verona, where an Austrian air raid resulted in the leath of their air raid resulted in the death of thirty stone phosphate in it to wash out of persons and the injury of more than the thirty feet of bowels the previous double that number, describe the raid day's accumulation of poisons and in interlews in the Corriere Della Sera toxins and to keep the entire dimen-

in interiews in the Corriere Bella Sera as having been favored by a toggy morning, which allowed the hostile aircraft to approach close to the city before they were noticed. They flew as low as 4,000 feet, and each threw from fl.e to als bombs, according to the travellers account. They flew off where they were attacked by Italian acroplanes.

A bomb dropped in the Plazza Erbe claimed women as its victims for the most part, a group of them having taken shelter under the porticos of the Chamber of Commerce. This bomb is said also to have killed a second lieutenant of infantry, the only meens ber of the military forces who lest his best internal sanitation. This will cest any one an enthusiast on the subject. Remember, inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, belieutenant of infantry, the only meens ber of the military forces who lest his impurities into the blood, causing peor health, while the bowel pores do. Just life, it is asserted. One of the best known dectors was killed by another

No damage was done to military buildings or the railway property.

CARRANZA OCCUPIES NACO.

wo Thousand Villa Troops Driven Of and Pursued.

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